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Post was unable to confirm how Norway will vote in the ESS scheduled for 17 November. However, Tormod Endresen, head of the MFA's Human Right's Section, noted that the GON is disappointed to see the ESS invoked again and feels that it is an improper use of the vehicle. Norway will strongly discourage other nations from abusing the ESS process in the future.
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